

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
FORT WORTH DIVISION

**CADENCE BANK ET AL.,**

Plaintiffs,

v.

**No. 4:23-CV-00609-P**

**BRIDGELINK ENGINEERING, LLC ET AL.,**

Defendants.

**ORDER**

Local Rule 83.10(a) requires the appearance of local counsel where counsel of record for a party does not reside in this district or maintain their principal office in this district. N.D. TEX. R. 83.10(a). “Local counsel” means a member of the bar of this court who resides or maintain their principal office in this district and whose residence or principal office is located within 50 miles of the courthouse in the Fort Worth Division. *Id.*; see *United States v. Thomas*, No. 4:13-CV-688-A, 2013 WL 11332537, at \*1–2 (N.D. Tex. Sept. 5, 2013) (McBryde, J.) (holding that Local Rule 83.10(a) required Austin-based attorney to designate local counsel).

A review of the record reveals that Plaintiff Cadence Bank has yet to comply with Local Rule 83.10(a), as Plaintiff’s counsel is in Waco, Texas. Accordingly, no later than **August 15, 2023**, Plaintiff Cadence Bank shall file the entry of appearance of local counsel satisfying the requirements of Local Rule 83.10(a). Failure to do so will result in the imposition of sanctions that increase with each day of non-compliance.

**SO ORDERED** on this **11th day of August 2023**.



**MARK T. PITTMAN**  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE